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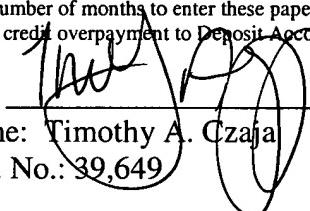
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- Transmittal Sheet containing Certificate of Mailing (1 pg.);
- Communication re Payment of Retention Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.21(l) (1 pg.);
- Petition for Three-Month Extension-of-Time (1 pg.);
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following amounts to **Deposit Account No. 500471**: \$130.00 (to cover the retention fee); and \$490.00 (to cover the extension-of-time fee).

- Return Postcard.

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500471.

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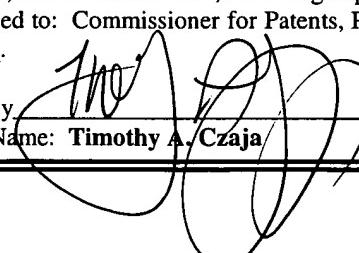
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Dear Sir:

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge the \$130.00 fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.21(l) for retaining an abandoned application to Deposit Account No. 500471. Applicant requests that the file for the above-identified application be retained. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.53(f)(5), Applicant requests that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office not dispose of the application in view of payment of this fee.

Attention is also directed to the concurrently filed Petition for Extension-of-Time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due for retention of this file to be charged to Deposit Account No. 500471.

Respectfully submitted,

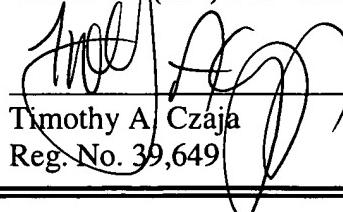
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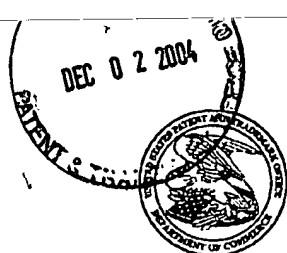
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 3.
 - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(l) and (p)(1)); See Figure(s) 4 (unreadable text).

- An abstract of the technical disclosure not exceeding 150 words in length and commencing on a separate sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72(b) is required. An abstract was not provided for this application.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$450** for a Small Entity

- **\$385** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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